

# The Whole Truth

"The law of truth was in his mouth and iniquity was not found in his mouth, Mal. 2:6. "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32.

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## THE 38TH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CONGRESS CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST, INC.,

Will convene in Miami, Florida July 2-7, 1973

## THE 30TH INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Will convene in Chicago, Illinois July 9-14, 1973



BISHOP E. H. MOORE AND BISHOP J. O. PATTERSON, PRESIDING BISHOP COGIC.

LEFT TO RIGHT: ELDER EARL J. WRIGHT, DR. JAMES WATSON, MRS. CLARA C. CLEMMONS, BISHOP WILLIAM JAMES, ELDER CHARLES BREWER, JR. MRS. DEBORAH THOMAS.

Hundreds of persons attended the consecration and installation services of Bishop E. Harris Moore newly appointed Bishop of the Jurisdiction of Western Missouri. The Solemn High service was held at the State Headquarters. Bishop J. O. Patterson, Presiding Bishop of the Churches of God in Christ was the officiant assisted by members of the General Board, Bishop Jacob Cohen, Bishop Wyoming Wells and Bishop L. H. Ford, 2nd Assistant Presiding Bishop of the Churches of God in Christ.

The Consecration Worship Service, the first in the history of Western Missouri conducted with the Mass Choir of the Jurisdiction rendering beautiful anthems.

The spoken word by Bishop Patterson was dynamically delivered. The Elders of the Jurisdiction was visibly a part of the proceedings. Bishop V. M. Barker, Bishop emeritus, was in attendance and in accord with the arrangements.

Many out of town Ministers, Missionaries, and Pastors were present. Among them were: Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Moore, Chicago; Mrs. Odessa Frazier, Chicago; Mr. H. E. Jones, Chicago; State Supervisor Erma Mason, Kansas; Mrs. L. Williams, Nebraska; Elder Rhodes, Oklahoma; Pastors from Colorado, Iowa, Illinois, and Indiana.

Bishop Moore has a long record of leadership in such official capacities as Assistant General

Secretary in charge of Registration in the First Administration of the Presiding Bishop, a member of the Public Relation's staff, at present, he is Public Relation's Chairman for the International Sunday School Department, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Saints College, Secretary of the Church of God in Christ Hospital Fund, and a member of the National Board of Education. Bishop Moore has served on numerous important committees and is active in many Civic and Community projects in Kansas City.

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Bishop L. H. Ford . . . . . Host Bishop  
Miss Carrie Cantrell . . . . . Host Supervisor  
Rev. Ocie Booker . . . . . Host Superintendent  
Miss Annie Kizer . . . . . Host Field Representative

The theme for the 38th International Youth Congress is "Christ for the Crisis."

The Congress hotel headquarters will be Sheraton Four Ambassadors, located 801 South Bayshore Drive, Miami, Florida. Other participating hotels: The Everglades Hotel and the Dupont Plaza Center Hotel.

It is recommended that casual lightweight clothing be worn throughout the Congress. We do not consider pant-suits, slacks, shorts, or extremely short dresses to be proper apparel in

the Youth Congress.

For information regarding tours and the souvenir book, write to Eltyna Dixon-P. O. Box 544, Aliquippa, Pennsylvania 15001.

Registration of five (\$5.00) dollars includes Special Congress Hotel rates, Souvenir Program Book, badge and lesson plans: special hotel rates are available only through registration. All rooms are subject to a 4% tax payable upon check out.

Please make all reservations for hotel rooms through the

### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST ANNOUNCES ITS 30TH INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

JULY 9-14, 1973 CHICAGO,  
ILLINOIS

### ACCOMMODATION AND DELEGATE PROVISIONS

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### HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CONVENTION:

Saturday night, July 7, 8:00 P. M., there will be a convention musical featuring a 1,000 voice choir with Luvonia Whitley (Mrs) and Mrs. Alberta Jones, National Minister of Music with Miss Clarice E. Williams, National Organist. The musical will be held in the Continental International Ballroom at the Conrad Hilton Hotel, 720 South Michigan Avenue. Choirs will be offering music each evening.

Executive Secretary: Elder Earl J. Wright, P. O. Box 3604, Detroit, Michigan 48203. Be sure to include \$5.00 Congress registration fee and list of names and addresses for all persons in your group requesting space and remit the same by money order, cashier check or certified check payable to "International Youth Congress" absolutely no personal Checks will be accepted.

Post Congress attractions include a tour of Disney World, Tour of the Bahamas (Nassau).

Miami is known as the Magic City, "With a flavor of the Latin American Metropolis." The daily scheduled program is as follows: Morning prayer and worship service, Seminars and institutes, evangelistic outreach Crusades, Congress musicals, tots and teens service. Among the highlights will be Bible Quiz contest, Charm School, Oratorical Contest, Miss Youth Congress Formal Banquet, sightseeing of Miami scenic views.

Congress Officials:  
Bishop William James, President  
Elder Charles Brewer, Jr., 1st Vice President  
Dr. James Watson, 2nd Vice President  
Elder Earl J. Wright, Executive Secretary  
Mrs. Clara Cantrell Clemmons, International Chairlady  
Mrs. Deborah Thomas, 1st Assistant International Chairlady

Hosts: Bishop Jacob Cohen, Host Pastor  
Mother Gussie Gamble, State Supervisor  
Elder H. Davis, State President  
Mrs. Inez Black, State Chairlady



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**PRESIDING BISHOP J. O. PATTERSON, WITH C. H. MASON FAMILY GROUP**

## HISTORY OF ORGANIZATION

The Charles Harrison Mason Education Foundation was an idea and dream of our Present Presiding Bishop J. O. Patterson in memory of the founder of the Church of God in Christ, the late Bishop Charles Harrison Mason. A chapter is being organized in every jurisdiction of the church.

The purpose of this organization is to help deserving students of our church through scholarships, to support the Charles Harrison Mason Theological Seminary located in Atlanta, Georgia; and other worthwhile projects within the scope of education.

The Jerry Jones Chapter of the Charles Harrison Mason Educational Foundation, Tennessee First Jurisdiction, was organized August 12, 1971, at Pentecostal Temple Church of God in Christ, Memphis, Tennessee. Mrs. Julia Mason Atkins and Miss Peggy N. Harris were appointed as co-ordinators; and Eld. Thomas LaFlora, Jr., as Chairman, by the Jurisdictional Presiding Bishop J. O. Patterson. The other officers were elected by the State Educational Committee.

The members of this organization are dedicated to promoting and assisting deserving young people in their academic endeavor. It is our hope that no young person will be denied this opportunity. The Annual Dinner Concert will be the major fund-raising project. Other activities include a State Oratorical Contest, Junior-Senior Formal Dinner, Senior Citizen's Night, Tutorial Program and any other functions the organization deems necessary.

Jerry Jones Chapter of the Charles Harrison Mason Educational Foundation of Tennessee first jurisdiction held their Annual Benefit Dinner Concert featuring Sara Jordan Powell-April 13, 1973 at the Chisca Plaza Motor Hotel in the Grand Ballroom.

This gala affair was attended by over two hundred persons among who were the Presiding Bishop J. O. Patterson and members of the family of our late founder of the Church of God in Christ Bishop

Charles Harrison Mason, in the above photo: Also present were out of town guest who are shown in the Photos.

Mrs. J. Mason Atkins who is President of C. H. Mason, National Educational Fund, - is to be commended for her untiring efforts for the success of this affair. She is an ardent dedicated worker, a lover of humanity and works without restrain for the promotion of this auxilliary.

Sara Jordan Powell, a native of Houston, Texas is the second eldest daughter of the late Reverend Samuel A. Jordan and Mrs. Jordan. The wise, religious teachings of God-fearing parents gave Sara an adamant foundation that motivated her life.

She studied music early in her childhood and acquired her formal education in Houston. She is a graduate of Texas Southern University. She did further study in Chicago Teachers College. She was formerly a teacher of English at Houston Technical High School, and for a number of years served as pianist and directress of both the Faith Temple Church of God in Christ and the Radio Gospel Choir.

**MRS. SARA J. POWELL**  
Concert Artist

"Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth." 3 John 2.

On behalf of everyone in Tennessee's First Jurisdiction, I wish to thank each of you for your presence as well as your financial support of this the 2nd Annual Concert Dinner of the Charles Harrison Mason Educational Foundation, Jerry Jones Chapter. Through your support of this affair tonight you have helped to make possible for many of our deserving young people to further the education. It makes my heart glad to know there are so many who share the enthusiasm of the Chapter of the Foundation and their determination to see to it that our underprivileged young people be allowed a chance to better themselves through a College Education.

In closing may I again say that my sincere wish for you is that above all things thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.

Sincerely,

J. O. Patterson  
Presiding Bishop  
Tennessee First Jurisdiction



**GROUP OF OUT-OF-TOWN GUEST ATTENDING BENEFIT CONCERT DINNER**



# Church News



**SOULS ON ALTAR YOUTH REVIVAL  
PENTECOSTAL TEMPLE C. O. G. I. C., MEMPHIS,  
TENNESSEE.**

## YOUTH FOR CHRIST! CHRIST FOR YOUTH!

On May 13, 1973, Pentecostal Temple Church of God in Christ Memphis, Tennessee, Pastored by Bishop J. O. Patterson, held its third annual Youth for Christ service. This service was organized three years ago by Miss Ann Marie Fletcher, President of the Choir. It was organized so as to really involve the youth of the Church in, "Soul Winning for Christ."

The Saturdays prior to the Sunday Service, the youth and other members of the Church, go out and street witness for Christ. Not only that, Miss Fletcher, affectionally called "Toosie," along with the youth, ministers and others, visit the Shelby County Penal Institution each third Sunday morning at 7:00 A. M. As a result, many of those young men who enter the institution with a rebellious spirit are now asking "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"

The theme for this service has been in the past, "Youth for Christ." However, do to the aforestatement of the Mighty Out-Pour of the Lord's Spirit on each of these occasions, the theme henceforth will be, "Youth for Christ! Christ for Youth!"

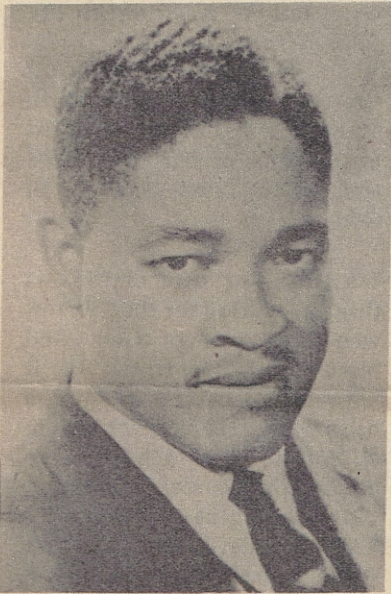
The speaker for these services in the past has been the Elder Jonathan Rodgers, Pastor of Bethel Temple Church of God in Christ, Memphis, Tennessee. Again, as usual, Elder Rodgers came under the anointing of the Holy Ghost with a heart breaking, soul stirring message. He came forth with that yet to be answered question, "What would it profit a man if he should gain the whole world and lose his soul?" The Lord blessed mightily in this service.

Miss Fletcher said, and the Youth Department, would like to sincerely thank Elder Rodgers for being their speaker and especially thank Sister Peggy Harris for being their M. C.

In my closing remarks, I would like to sincerely admonish all youth as well as the elderly, to accept Christ as your personal saviour. The Youth of today is the Church of tomorrow, but, don't wait for tomorrow!

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy Youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them."

Elder J. E. Lewis, Jr., Editor



**EVANGELIST  
JOHN D. LAWRENCE**

**EVANGELISM**  
by Evangelist John D. Lawrence  
President of the Soul Winner's Institute

The year 1973 is the greatest year of our lives, because it is the year when the Spirit of God has moved 150 Major Denominations and groups to join hands and hearts for a Continent wide Evangelistic Thrust to confront every human being in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

It is the will of God that the Church of God in Christ move with the rest of the major denominations in presenting to every soul the information on how to be saved, stay saved, be sanctified and filled with the Holy Ghost.

The Soul Winner's Institute that I founded over ten (10) years ago has trained over 15,000 soul winner's by way of radio, T. V., conventions, seminars and classes in America, Bermuda, St. Thomas Virgin Islands, British Honduras. God has spoken to me about a new "Do it yourself Soul Winner's Kit," which includes: 50 books for \$35.00, 25 Soul Winners folders for \$19.00, 500 Tracts for \$15.00, 5

Soul Winners Albums for \$15.00, Master tape for \$5.00 and 1 large Placard-\$1.00 plus shipping cost.

Each Pastor, Evangelist or Youth Leader should be able to train the Local Church or group himself, because the master tape would tell exactly what to do.

For the rest of '73, I will be conducting one day soul winner clinic, Saturday all day, 9-12 going out that afternoon, from 1:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M. Musical at night, choirs singing, groups, solos, etc. Midway, I will use one-half or more to preach quick messages. Altar call and take souls to Prayer Room while the program continues. (Tried in Houston, Texas - results - 50 souls saved, reclaimed and some filled with the Holy Ghost). Three day Seminars, Friday through Saturday. Sunday: Going out that afternoon visiting homes, leaving free Bible lessons.

Five Day Soul Winning Conference for three Churches or more. District meeting, or convocation, full training, hospital, homes, streets need at least one to two hours each night, going out Saturday morning from 1:00 P. M. to 2:00 P. M. - results - trained Church plus new members. Leaving one free Bible lesson on the first visit to be picked up next week and continue six weeks - results - visitors, and new members.

God has commanded me to take Soul Winning Training into 25 cities in 1973. If you are interested please contact me at: 167 Bidwell Avenue, Jersey City, N. J. 07305 - Telephone 201-432-4062.

## SOUTH BEND, IND.

Greetings in the name of our Sweet Saviour Jesus Christ from the Church of God in Christ Temple.

"Truly my soul waiteth upon God: from him cometh my salvation. He only is my rock and my salvation; he is my defence; I shall not be greatly moved." Psalms 62:1-2.

We are thanking God for blessing us to progress under the leadership of our beloved Pastor and his lovely wife. We, the members work together in peace and love with them for the upbuilding of the Lord, whom we really love.

We are yet reporting victory over sin through the precious blood of our Lord Jesus. Our souls are on fire for the Lord and we are enjoying and rejoicing in the God of our salvation and we are stirred to do a greater work for God.

## In Memory

In memory of Elder John McKissick, who departed this life March 24, 1973. Funeral service; March 28, 1973 - 1:00 P. M. Church of God in Christ Temple. Eulogy by Elder Eulis Wilson and expressions by Pastors of the city.

He was a faithful servant of God, he labored and suffered in the Church as long as he was able to go, but God in his all wisdom called him home to rest. Elder McKissick worked so faithful and beautiful with Missionary Beattie Shead, President of the Pastor's Aide and Co-workers.

The pains of death are past, labor and sorrow cease-- and life's long warfare closed at last, His soul is found in peace.

We solicit your prayers for our continued success.

Elder McNeely, Pastor  
Mable B. Owen, Reporter

## SOUTH BEND, IND.

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ from the Grace Memorial Church of God in Christ.

We thank God for our Pastor, who is a praying man and for the help he gives that we might see the light of salvation.

In a recent revival conducted by him, souls lost in confusion and sin were delivered and backsliders reclaimed.

Each first Sunday is known at Grace Memorial as "Mother's Day." Elder Kelly of Michigan City, was our recent guest speaker on that day. He brought to us an informative message from Hebrews 1:7-8. The presence of the Lord was in our midst.

Our Pastor is also active in the state work. We are continually praying for people everywhere and for the salvation of the souls of men. We solicit your prayers.

Elder S.S. Tabb, Pastor  
Mother Mack, Church Mother  
Minister J. Brantley, Reporter

## BOSSIER CITY, LA.

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ from the House of Prayer Church of God in Christ. "Pray without ceasing - I Thessalonians 5:17.

Truly we are praying without ceasing. God answered our prayer in a great way, He has blessed us with a Church twice as big as our old one. From March 6 through 11, 1973 was opening week. Churches from all over the city were invited.

Tuesday: Lawhorn Church of God in Christ, Superintendent A. McCoy, and the 64th Street Church of God in Christ, Rev. S. Young.

Wednesday: 80th Street Church of God in Christ, Rev. S. Bradley, and Starlite Church of God in Christ, Rev. J. Vance.

Thursday: Mt. Corinth Church of God in Christ and Plain Dealing Church of God in Christ, Rev. T. J. Nation.

Friday: Homer Church of God in Christ, Superintendent A. McCoy and Faith Temple Church of God in Christ, Rev. Houston.

Sunday: Newlite Church of God

in Christ, Rev. C. Robert and White Temple, Bishop J. W. White.

During March 26 through April, a soul stirring revival was conducted by Missionary C. High from New Jersey.

"Men ought always to pray, and not to faint." St. Luke 18:1.

Nikki Letmon, Reporter  
Supt. A. McCoy, Pastor

## PHOENIX, AZ.

*Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths, be not wise in thine own eyes; fear the Lord and depart from evil. Proverbs 3:5-7.*

Once again we the saints from the Central District Big Four bring you Holy Greetings and news of our monthly meetings.

The Lord came in and blessed our souls during our Big "4" meeting of April 5th through the 8th. We had as special guest, Missionary Velma Lee of Los Angeles, California. A glorious time was witnessed by all.

On April 5th, Elder M. King of Emanuel District was guest speaker. He preached from the book of Genesis. The Big "4" Singers, the Harmonizers, and others were presented on a short program.

The message was delivered on April 6th by our District Superintendent S. W. McGriff. April 7th was Youth Night. Elder T. F. Kelly, Youth President was in charge. The message was delivered by Minister J. B. Braker of Avondale Church of God in Christ. Subject: "Knocking at a closed door," St. Matthew 25:11; Genesis 7:16.

Sunday, April 8th was Women's Day. Our District Missionary Ruth Thorne was in charge of the service. There was a beautiful program and message.

"We are so very thankful to the Lord for being with us each night."

Elder W. M. Thompson of Chandler Church of God in Christ was host Pastor.

We are asking your prayers, that we will grow stronger in the Lord. Everyone is welcome to attend our meetings.

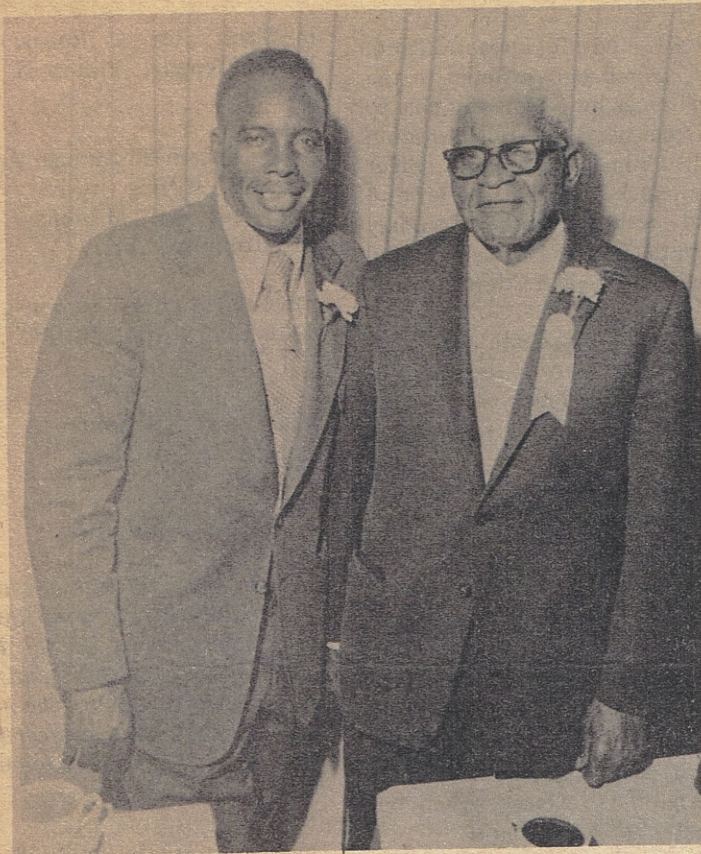
For information and prayer request, please write:

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Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Elder S. W. McGriff, District Supt.  
Missionary Ruth Thorne, District Missionary  
Mother Garner, State Mother  
E. J. Taylor, State Bishop  
Minister J. B. Braker, District Reporter - assisted by Sister Mary Ann Cooper of Avondale Church of God in Christ.





DR. A.J. HINES and BISHOP O.M. KELLY

EASTERN NEW YORK  
JURISDICTION

Greetings to the Saints everywhere in the name of our Sweet Saviour Jesus Christ.

We just climaxed a most successful Spring Meeting which convened March 20 through 26, 1973 at the beautiful First Church, Bishop Frank Clemons, Pastor and Elder I. Clemons, Co-Pastor.

The meeting opened with a pre-musical, Monday night. Tuesday morning at 10:00 O'Clock, the saints gathered from far and near to kneel in prayer. Bishop Kelly led us in prayer, he prayed constantly for two hours. After prayer, the Elders formed a double line as the saints marched through and were anointed with oil by one of the Ministers and each one laid hands on us. The presence of the Lord was in the room. Bishop Kelly taught a beautiful lesson from 2nd Corinthians 5:14-21. He elaborated on the need for "Reconciliation" as a motive of our ministry.

Wednesday night was our State Chairman's night, Bishop Frank Cook. He is a real dedicated man of God, he always has inspirational words for God's people.

Thursday was Women's Day, Mother Creola Wallace our capable Supervisor had such a lovely program.

A workshop period was conducted by our State recording secretary, Mrs. M. L. Covington and Mrs. I. Cabiness, a teacher in one of the public schools here. The subject was, "Warning against the day of Apostasy"-2nd Timothy 3:1. It was so enjoyable. There was a question and answer period also a space for the Bishop's wives. Their topic was, "Positive Thinking" - Philippians 4:8. They were beautiful as they expressed themselves. Mother E. B. Washington spoke on the results of positive thinking, using her past illness for a guide line. Mother O. M. Kelly, who just returned from her trip to the Holy Land, summarized it whole. It was so lovely. The day

message was brought by our program chairman, Missionary Ethel White.

Our first lady, Mrs. Kelly entertained the official family at McDonalds Restaurant. We all say, thank you Mother Kelly.

The evening session began at 7:00 P. M. We were glad to have in our midst, Dr. Hines of Texas. He brought the message, "Don't forget God," Deuteronomy 6:10-12. Our souls were made to see how we in this city and land of plenty can forget God. Are we just shouting, dancing, singing, having a good time, and have forgotten about God? Soul searching is in order.

Friday in our Seminar, Elder I. Clemons was his usual inspired self, teaching us about the day in which we live, warning us to watch the time, and reminding us of the part the Jews played in God's Redemptive plan, saying: they are God's timepiece and see what time it is.

That night, our Assistant State Bishop F. D. Washington preached. In Easter New York, we do not ask if Bishop Washington preached, we ask did he get up, knowing well that if he got up he preached. "He exhorted us to make preparations to get out of here, pointing to the great tribulation that is coming on the Earth.

Saturday was Sunday School day. Our State Superintendent Elder A. Brown was in charge. Our Junior Superintendent, Sister Helen McKinney had the little ones in the afternoon. Sister McKinney believes in training a child, and is talented for this job. God bless you, Sister McKinney.

Sunday was the high-light of the meeting, official day. Bishop Kelly had a message for the entire Church and especially for the young ministers. He preached from Joshua 3:1-2, "After Three days, Go Forward." We enjoyed him so much. He preached under the unction of the Holy Ghost.

Monday was Youth Day. The Youth department rendered a lovely program. They had speakers on the inspirational hour. Then there were essays

written on "Our Endeavor." Three trophies were given. The State President, Brother Slaughter gave an address that was beautiful. Our State Chairlady, Sister Barbara Banks was at her post. Also our International Chairlady, was present. Sister Clara Clemons, gave a lovely talk. We are glad for our leaders.

Now we are looking forward to the Women's International Convention. We are chartering a bus, from Trailways Bus Company. Come go with us, go red card and really be a delegate.

Bishop O. M. Kelly, State Bishop Bishop F. D. Washington, Assistant

Mrs. Creola Wallace, Supervisor Mrs. Jessie Turner, State Reporter

## MINNESOTA

The Twin Preachers of Alabama, Elders Henry and McDaniel, conducted a stirring, soul-saving revival at the 38th Street Church of God in Christ, Elder L. W. Jenkins, Pastor. What a revival! Come again soon, Twin Preachers... Minnesota was graced with the presence of our illustrious Presiding Bishop J. O. Patterson; 2nd Assistant, Bishop L. H. Ford; General Board Members, Bishop O. M. Kelly, Bishop F. D. Washington, and Bishop Jacob Cohen. They came for the consecration service of the newly appointed Bishop of the Minnesota Jurisdiction, Bishop S. H. Overton. Other guests present included Elder J. DeLano Ellis, who so ably maneuvered the service; Elder Carlis Moody of Illinois; and Harry Davis, an outstanding civic, educational, and political leader in the Twin Cities.... Deliverance month came to the New Covenant Church of God in Christ as part of Key '73. Many souls were blessed in the services conducted by the Pastor, Elder Fred W. Washington.

The evangelistic fervor continues at this newly organized Church. Special services are held practically every Saturday night and if you are in Minnesota, that is the place to be...

The 1973 session of the Ministers and Workers Meeting of the Church of God in Christ, Minnesota First Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction was convened recently under the auspices of Bishop S. H. Overton. The Lord graced our services. Bishop Dennis Flakes of Wisconsin was our special guest and preached a stirring message. Many proclaimed this as one of the greatest sessions ever assembled...

Superintendent J. D. Foster, newly appointed superintendent of the Minneapolis District, successfully presided over the initial District Meeting under his direction. Congratulations Superintendent Foster....

Revival returned to 38th Street Church through the ministry of Superintendent Allen of Texas. God blessed greatly. Press on, Elder Jenkins...

Elder Fred W. Washington has returned home after attending the Spring Conference in Memphis and going on to

Louisiana to visit with his parents and to attend the 100th birthday celebration of his grandfather, Rev. Fred W. Watkins a Baptist minister. He reports that relatives from various parts of the nation were in attendance at the celebration..

An elegant fellowship dinner was sponsored by the 38th Street Church at the Holiday Central Downtown Hotel. Elder Carlis Moody of Evanston, Illinois was guest speaker and captivated the audience with a moving address. Many guest were in attendance including Jane Johnston, a local television celebrity, who was mistress of ceremonies. Elder Jenkins has a vision to expand his edifice - the proceeds from the dinner will go for this purpose... Reports from the

State Women Convention convening soon under the supervision of Mother Dorothy Buford; a trip to Chicago sponsored by the J. W. Graham District, Superintendent Earl Demming, and of other activities will follow.

## NYACK, NEW YORK

*"In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths." Prov. 3:6*

Greetings from Hollingsworth Temple Church of God in Christ in the name of our Sweet Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to all God's people.

Hollingsworth Temple is thankful to God for their Pastor, who is a man of God. God blesses him abundantly. He is known throughout the State as a ball of fire. People refer to him as the 'dancing Preacher.' If God blesses him to see January 15, 1974, he will be celebrating his 82nd birthday. God gives him strength to do his own driving. Thank God for his bountiful blessings that comes from above.

Sunday, April 29, 1973 Hollingsworth Temple took their Annual Trip to St. Paul C. M. E. Church in Chester, Pennsylvania. Dr. Hollingsworth was converted in St. Paul's C. M. E. Church in 1920. He was a faithful, loyal member until he moved to White Plains, New York in 1927. The fellowship between these two Churches have been great down through the years.

Pray for us.

Dr. W. J. Hollingsworth, Pastor Sister Walker, Reporter

## LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Greetings in the name of our Sweet Saviour Jesus Christ, to all God's people.

We are thankful for our new Church where we are progressing nicely. Everything is working in harmony.

We had Women Day the 15th of April and it was a success, God blessed in a big way. We are planning to attend the International Women Convention if it's the Lord's will.

Pray that the will of the Lord be done.

Elder James Stocks, Pastor Mother Lula Masters, Reporter



REV. EDDIE L. SCOTT, SR.

## OBITUARY

On March 14, 1973, between the hour of 1:15 and 1:30 A. M., God spoke to Elder Eddie L. Scott and said, "You have fought a good fight; your work on earth is finished. I have a better place prepared for you. Come unto me all ye that are laden and heavy laden and I will give you rest."

Elder Eddie L. Scott was born November 23, 1923, to Rev. and Mrs. Matthew Scott, in Chicago, Illinois. In 1945, he came to Los Angeles, California to make this his home. Here he met and married Miss Jessie Mae Davis. To this marriage, God blessed them with six sons and five daughters.

In 1946 upon arriving in Los Angeles from the U. S. Air Force, he united with St. John Church of God in Christ, Pastored by Elder U. Blake. He was called to the ministry in 1955. To further his education in order that he might help win souls for Christ, he attended Reed Bible College in 1956, and also spent three years in Emmanuel Bible College and graduated in 1959. He also attended National Trade School for one year.

He leaves to mourn, his wife, Mrs. Jessie Mae Scott; six sons and five daughters, all of Los Angeles; four grandchildren, his mother, Mrs. Ethel Scott, of Yazoo City, Mississippi; two sisters, Mrs. O. V. Moss of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Ola Mitchell, of Greenwood, Mississippi; seven brothers, Elder Joseph Scott and Mr. Edward Scott, both of Los Angeles; Bishop T. T. Scott, of Clarkdale, Mississippi; Elder Isaiah Scott of Greenwood, Mississippi; Elder James Scott of Chattanooga, Tennessee; Elder John Scott and Mr. Samuel Scott of Yazoo City, Mississippi; two sons-in-law and one daughter -in-law, and a host of nieces and nephews, and friends.

Sleep on, Elder Scott. We love you, but God loved you best. He is not dead; he's just asleep.

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USE CHURCH OF GOD  
IN CHRIST SUNDAY  
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## TIFTON, GEORGIA

*"Sanctify a fast, call a solomon assembly, gather the Elders and all the inhabitants of the land into the house of the Lord your God and cry unto the Lord."*  
Joel 1:14

The first Evangelistic Crusade for Southern Georgia's Women Evangelistic Board, convened at Strickland's Temple Church of God in Christ, Tifton, Georgia, January 15-19, 1973. The aim of the meeting was "To win souls of Brothers and Sisters in these trying times." Elder S. McIntyre, was host Pastor, and mother Julia M. Brown, State President, presided.

Monday night, a very inspiring musical was presented. It was arranged by Sister's Pauline Carter and Bernice Wilson.

Tuesday night, Missionary A. B. Tolbert stirred the congregation with the message "Call for the Cunning Women." District Missionary Amanda Johnson followed her with a "Wise Woman Walking in Her Wisdom."

Wednesday night, our State Bishop was present and delivered the message. His text was taken from St. Matthew 3:13-14. The subject was, "I have need of thee." Preface: We need Jesus in a time like this." Bishop Hicks brought out some beautiful points. This was a very powerful message.

Thursday night, Missionary Beverly Little gave us an encouraging thought, "Stay at the feet of Jesus."

Friday night, Missionary Gladys Haywood admolished us to put on the Whole Armour of God. Missionary Irene Ketterer followed her with "Come let us reason together."

Saturday was set aside for the young Missionaries. Missionary Amy Ingram, President of the young Missionaries presided. Each young Missionary spoke beautiful.

Sunday was the highlight of the meeting and the time to hear the annual Evangelistic Crusade Message. Sunday School was presided over by Missionary Beverly Little. After a very nice discussion, we went immediately into devotional services. Mother Artie B. McBride, State Supervisor brought the Annual message. Mother McBride stirred the congregation when she announced her subject "GO CALL THY HUSBAND. She pleaded with the women to be "Submissive to your own husband." "A wise and humble woman is a blessing to her husband. She is a blessing to her leaders also." "Many Men," she stated, are great men today because "A wise woman worked in her Wisdom." We were very proud of our State Supervisor and pray that God continues to bless her.

The president of the Evangelistic Board, Mother Julia Brown gave closing remarks. She has high hopes that this is the beginning of a new era for the women in Southern Georgia. Mother Brown said that she is very

pleased with the results of this meeting. She is a very humble woman and willing to work for God.

An altar call was made each night and several young boys and girls sought the Lord. Our hearts were stirred and we are yet praising God from whom all blessings flow. Pray for us.

*Who can find a virtuous woman for her price is far above rubies.*  
Proverbs 31:10.

Mother Julia M. Brown  
President  
Mother A. B. McBride - State Supervisor  
Bishop C. J. Hicks - Presiding Bishop of Southern Georgia Jurisdiction  
A. B. Richardson, Reporter

## BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

Greetings to the saints and all the readers of the Whole Truth Paper, be you believer or non-believer. And may the grace of God be with you all.

*"I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in; Naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me; I was in prison, and ye came unto me. Verily I say unto you, in as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me. St. Matthew 25:35, 36, 40."*

The Helping Hand Fellowship of our Church are a group of people dedicated to helping the less fortunate of our Church and community. Our "community" has stretched as far as Africa, thanks to God's help. But we feel that there are those at home that need our help. Besides being young, we are small in number and finance but large in faith that God will continue to bless our efforts. Our very first effort was Thanksgiving, November 1971. Through God's help we were able to give out sixteen (16) bountiful food baskets. And we know that through God's help, He will continue to bless our efforts. We have also helped with some clothing packages.

Contact us if at anytime we can be of help in sending a package of clothing to help some family in need. We would like to get in contact with institutions that house homeless children.

We are grateful to our liberal Pastor Bishop Frank Cook, for granting us his approval to do this work.

Please pray that God will ever bless our efforts. And through this effort it may be instrumental in bringing some soul to Christ.

Donations of food, clothing and money accepted. Address all mail to:

THE HELPING HAND FELLOWSHIP  
Holy Trinity Church of God in Christ  
1325 Herkimer Street  
Brooklyn, New York 11233  
Bishop Frank Cook, Pastor  
Reporter - Mrs. Theresa Banks

## TESTIMONY OF MINISTER RAYMOND JONES

On the fourth day of April, 1964, at about eleven o'clock in the morning, I met with a new experience in my life.

I had been a user and seller of herion for about a year-and-half. I had shared the dreadful experiences that are a part of every drug addict's life. My life revolved from Harlem's East Side through Greenwich Village, I was about nineteen (19) when I became deeply involved in drugs. I was able to persuade many into accepting and indulging in my type of life. Using and selling drugs had made me sly, cunning and ruthless. I was able to talk dollars out of pockets into my hands.

I was sought for by detectives because my craftiness had spread throughout Greenwich Village. My identity was unknown. The detectives knew only that I was known by a nickname "Dedo." When I heard detectives were looking for me in the "Village," I feared to go there, and instead remained in Harlem. However, the appetite and lust for drugs overwhelmed me in such a way that I lost all fear of being caught. Men sought for me everywhere--the law and the junkie. I recall one summer night when I stood ten feet away from imminent death; a man held a pistol aimed directly at my head. I stood paralyzed for many seconds before running. It appeared that he couldn't pull the trigger; why I was spared from death was unknown until a short time later in my life.

I was hospitalized twice in 1964; once for thirty days after contracting hepatitis from a dirty hypodermic needle. Yet, even after my illness, I went back to the streets and to drugs-back to the corners, back to running.

I had been out of the hospital only two weeks when I became extremely sick from a herion overdose. I was advised by the doctors to re-admit myself into the hospital, but I refused. The doctors concluded that there was nothing medically they could do for my illness which, at one point, had caused me to vomit about eighteen times. They prescribed pills to ease the severe pain I was enduring. After a week in this condition, I feared the worst. I wanted to give up that form of living.

On April 4, 1964, I was at home with my Aunt. I wasn't thinking about anything in particular when my Aunt went to the store leaving me alone in the house. Somewhere around 10:50 A. M. on that morning, a still, small voice spoke in my conscience saying, "get down on your knees and pray."

I obeyed the voice, and there in the living room, I got down on my knees, not knowing what to say, nor how to say anything. Within moments though, I found a flow of words crying out to God asking Him for forgiveness of all my sins. Tears of sadness washed my face. My heart was broken after seeing the wrong I had done against God. Within a moments time, Jesus Christ had

made Himself known to me. Not by sending an angel or any other substitute, but He Himself came in the power of God.

My friend, this is my testimony of God's salvation through Jesus Christ. For since that great day of deliverance to this present time, God being my witness, I have not used any drugs. I have found God to be my sustainer. Getting my daily dose is through His Spirit. God be glorified.

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Sister Theresa Banks, Reporter

## FRANCISTOWN, BOTSWANA SOUTH AFRICA

Brethren beloved in our reigning Lord: Greetings from Botswana in the precious name of Jesus. To Him be all the glory for His never failing love and faithfulness. Despite all our weakness, God is graciously adding His blessing to our labour, and providing our every need through the friends He has provided in the far lands.

We wish to thank all God's people in the world who are continuing to support our Mission here in Africa. Your gifts such as funds and clothing are timely practical help; also we value and give thanks for the thoughtfulness and concern behind these gifts. You will be interested to know something about the Church development here at present.

In North-East of Maung, Botswana for example, we have a new outstation under Brother Benny Chamba. He's working under tremendous handicaps due to heavy drought in this area. Our Church in this area is supporting two Orphanages, and we are also seeking ways to help the destitutes.

In Francistown, for example, the Church has access to jail to preach the gospel to prisoners; and Rev. J. G. Lekgowe is doing a wonderful work among prisoners. From these people has come a request for 100 Bibles, and we have not been able to supply these. They also need booklets to help them in their search for a new hope and a new faith in Christ. Your help is needed to make this available.

The Church in Molepolole is helping to supply used clothing and food to the families who are destitute and helpless. Attempts are also being made to help the orphan children with school fees. We need three-hundred (\$300.00) dollars for their school fees this year.

Of course so far we have been able to make a small beginning. I hope you can see from this brief survey that the situation presents a grim challenge to the Church in Botswana to witness in love. We are deeply grateful for the understanding and thoughtful, prayerful gifts and support of fellow Christians outside Botswana at this time.

We still have much to do, and your gifts, large and small are needed at this time as never before to meet the demands

made upon us by the Lord's people over this land. For further help, write me today: Bishop S. S. M. Maimela, P.O. Box 397, Francistown, Botswana, South Africa.

Your Brother in Christ,

Bishop S.S.M. Maimela

## TESTIMONY

*Matthew 4:23 - "And Jesus went about all Galilee teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the Kingdom and healing all manner of disease among the people."*

I give thanks to God for His Son Jesus and what He is to me right now. I am saved from my sins, baptized with the Holy Ghost. I thank God for healing my body in 1962.

I went to prayer service at Church. We had a lovely time. I went home 10:00 P. M., took a bath, but then I became very weak. I had to lie down. It seemed as if I went into a very deep sleep. When I awoke, I could not walk; from my waist down I was paralyzed.

At that time, I was living on the East side and my Sister on the West side of Buffalo, New York.

When I called her she knew that something was wrong because I could not stop speaking in tongue, so she called one of the ministers of the Church. Brother Napoleon Garrison came and prayed for me. The Spirit said to him, "Woman you are healed and will walk again."

The next morning the Spirit awakened me and told me that I could walk. I got out of bed and walked just as good as before.

Every since then, I have been walking, running and praising God for His Son Jesus.

Saints, I am living for Jesus all I know. Pray for me that I will be one of His little ones, and stay meek and humble at the foot of Jesus until He comes for me. I am striving to be ready because He is coming soon, Hallelujah!!!

Sister Marie Thomas  
Holy Temple Church of God in Christ

## MUSKEGON, MICH.

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to all God's people.

We, the Sewing Circle of the Holy Trinity Church of God in Christ sponsored a beautiful Banquet on the 14th of April; Sister Mamie Mindy, President. It was a great success. Mrs. A. Neal had a beautiful display of Summer Hats. Elder N. Wells, Jr., was one of the guest speakers of that evening.

We are asking special prayer for Elder Walter Harris, Pastor of West Side Church of God in Christ, also Elder C. C. Covington, Pastor of Emmanuel Church of God in Christ.

Luddie B. Perkins, Reporter





**ELDER HERMAN SEALS**  
and Family  
Buffalo, New York

#### HOLY TEMPLE CHURCH INSTALLS NEW PASTOR

Installation service was held on Saturday evening March 31, 1973 for Elder Herman L. Seals, newly appointed Pastor of Holy Temple Church of God in Christ, 572 Clinton Street, Buffalo, New York.

Elder Seals succeeds the late Bishop E. F. McClellan who founded the Church and served as its Pastor for thirty-seven (37) years. Our hearts were deeply saddened by his sudden death on April 24, 1972, but the Lord is blessing us to go on as he would have wanted us to do. Our present edifice was built by Bishop McClellan.

Bishop Carl Roberson was Master of ceremony for the evening and did a superb job.

Bishop C. H. McCoy, State Bishop of Jurisdiction No. 2 was the Installation officer, and introduced the guest speaker, Bishop W. A. Patterson of Detroit, Michigan. Bishop Patterson preached a most dynamic message, A United Ministry, A United Church, Ephesians 4:11-15. Our hearts were truly encouraged.

The service was attended by many Pastors and Ministers of the city, including Bishop Leroy Anderson, State Bishop of Jurisdiction No. 1. Elder Hyrd Seals, father of Elder Herman Seals came with a chartered bus of members from his Church, Gospel Temple, Syracuse, New York. Music was rendered by the Vesper Choir, and the Mass Choir. Our Vesper Choir was beautiful in black dresses with lovely pink corsages. The Mass Choir wore lovely white long gowns, and both choirs performed beautifully.

Before his appointment to Holy Temple, Elder Seals served as Co-Pastor of Gospel Temple, Elder Hyrd Seals, Pastor, Syracuse, New York. He also served as a District Superintendent, and worked

very closely with Bishop McClellan at one time. He is a graduate of Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, with honors.

We thank God for our new Pastor and family. We believe him to be a man of God and that he is going to do a work for the Lord.

As a token of our appreciation many lovely gifts were given to the Pastor and his lovely wife.

We solicit your prayers for our continual growth in God.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Public Relations Chairman  
Matty Garrison



**BISHOP WALTER L. WILLIAMS**

#### NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PASTORS AND MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP

"One For All, And All For One"

Dear Bishop

As National and International President of the Pastors and Ministers Fellowship, I am much concerned about our progress in each State. Now that the Pastors and Ministers Fellowship has been accepted as an auxiliary of the General Church, it is my desire to get functioning in every State, since we are for peace and harmony with every Bishop. Yet, I find that it is somewhat difficult to get organized in some of the States, and I would like to know the why.

As Presiding Bishop of the

General Church, is in accord with this auxiliary, and we are striving to work together as the Lord would have us.

Now, this is the Pastors and Ministers unity of the Church, and we want to grow in the Church as any other auxiliary, and to do so, we must organize in each State. Brother Bishop, I would greatly appreciate it, if there is anything about the new administration that you do not understand, will be more than glad to explain it to you. Please do not hesitate to call on me.

I have talked to many of the Pastors from many States, and they want it, because it is the Pastor's voice in the Church, and we will not allow our Pastors to be silent, they must have a voice in the Church, and this is what I am working for, and we will not sit still until this is accomplished through peace and harmony.

I am informing all regional Presidents to contact their State Bishops, then get started organizing the Pastors and Ministers Fellowship in every State as this is a National and International Auxiliary.

I am writing this because we must move forward to do what is required of us to do Pastors and Ministers. This we shall do with the help of the Lord.

Yours for Service,

Bishop Walter L. Williams  
262 Northland Avenue  
Buffalo, New York 14208

**THE INTERNATIONAL PASTORS  
AND MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP**  
262 Northland Avenue  
Buffalo, New York 14208

April 30, 1973

The Rt. Rev. J. O. Patterson  
Presiding Bishop  
Churches of God in Christ, Inc.  
1774 South Parkway East  
Memphis, Tennessee 38114

Dear Bishop Patterson:

May I extend to you, the General Board, Jurisdictional Bishops, and Pastors & Ministers alike who comprise our great movement for endorsing the Pastors & Ministers Fellowship throughout the brotherhood, my heartfelt thanks and praise.

It is our goal to work cooperatively with all Church Officials, within the churches of God in Christ, Inc. and make certain that the Fellowship has the proper approval of the State or Jurisdictional Bishops wherein the Fellowship is organized.

The Pastors and Ministers Fellowship call upon you Presiding Bishop to insure their rights of a viable voice in the overall government of the Church. Progress can continue to benefit our Church so long as its Ministerial constituents are meaningfully participating.

We wish to know of the administrative plans for continued Church growth, and serve as active vehicles by which they may be implemented. Our Motto is "Peace and Harmony

Are The Keys To Unity" within the Church. For this reason we are endeavoring to establish (with the cooperation of all Jurisdictional Bishops) a Pastors & Ministers Fellowship within every Jurisdiction.

We now reaffirm our services and support to the General Church and pray God's blessings upon your work. Success is reachable as we move forward to do what is required of us with the help and guidance of God.

Yours for Service

The Rt. Rev. W. L. Williams  
International President



**SOUTH EASTERN WIS.**

Greetings in the name of our Sweet Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to all the saints of God.

Mother Ava Morris, wife of the late Bishop W. L. Morris, received her Divinity award February 19, 1971. Elder C. Range D. D. L. D. and Council member of the Trinity Hall College and Seminary, made the presentation with cap and gown ceremony.

State Mother Buffkins and Bishop D. Flakes graced the affair with their presence and many good things to say about Mother Morris. Many out of town guests and adjoining North Western of Wisconsin were present.

Mother Morris is one of the oldest Missionaries in Wisconsin. She served as District Missionary over thirty-five (35) years, she is Counsel to District Missionaries and is now working helping to finish the Church in memory of the late Bishop W. L. Morris. She is yet a prayer warrior, winning souls for Christ.

Even so, come Lord Jesus.

Elder Garnett Herron, Pastor

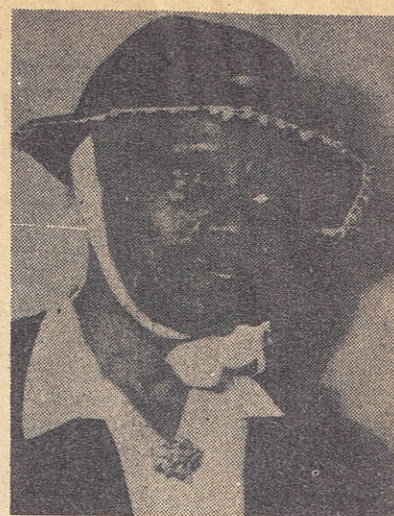
Sister Mable Carney, Reporter

#### MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our Dear Mother, Mrs. F. S. Clayton, who departed this life June 2, 1972.

One year has passed, Dear Mother since God has called you home to be with Him in Heaven around the snow-white throne. We often sit and think of you when we are all alone; for memory is the only thing that grief can call its own, we miss you, oh, we miss you, how could we help but cry, but if we live as you lived, we will meet you again by and by.

The Children



**M. M. JACKSON**  
Nat'l Home and Foreign  
Mission Worker

A pioneer missionary who was dedicated in her work.

#### OBITUARY EVANGELIST M. M. JACKSON

Sun set and evening Star and one clear call for me and may there be no moaning at the Bar. When I put out to sea all of the people who were close to Christ died, 'John, Peter, Paul all of his disciples and followers died which only goes to prove that no one escapes Death.

The faithful the unfaithful, the righteous, wicked, sinners, saints, truthful, liars, the good and bad all must die. Remember Samson died with all his strength.

Missionary M. M. Jackson, 86 years old was found dead March 21, 1973. She was born the 13th of April, 1886 in Texas. One of the 14 children born to Rev. G. L. Jackson and Mrs. Malissie Jackson has been a member of the Church of God in Christ every since 1915, Missionary Jackson was also instrumental in helping to establish Churches in Buffalo, N. Y., Connecticut, New Jersey, and Boston, Mass. She leave to mourn, one sister, Mrs. Argie Thompson, St. Louis, Mo. and a host of other relatives.

May we all bow our heads to God and say, 'good evening Evangelist Jackson, I heard a voice from heaven saying, Unto me write blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth yea, saith the spirit that they may rest from their labor.

National Evangelist V. M. Williams

Temple, Texas

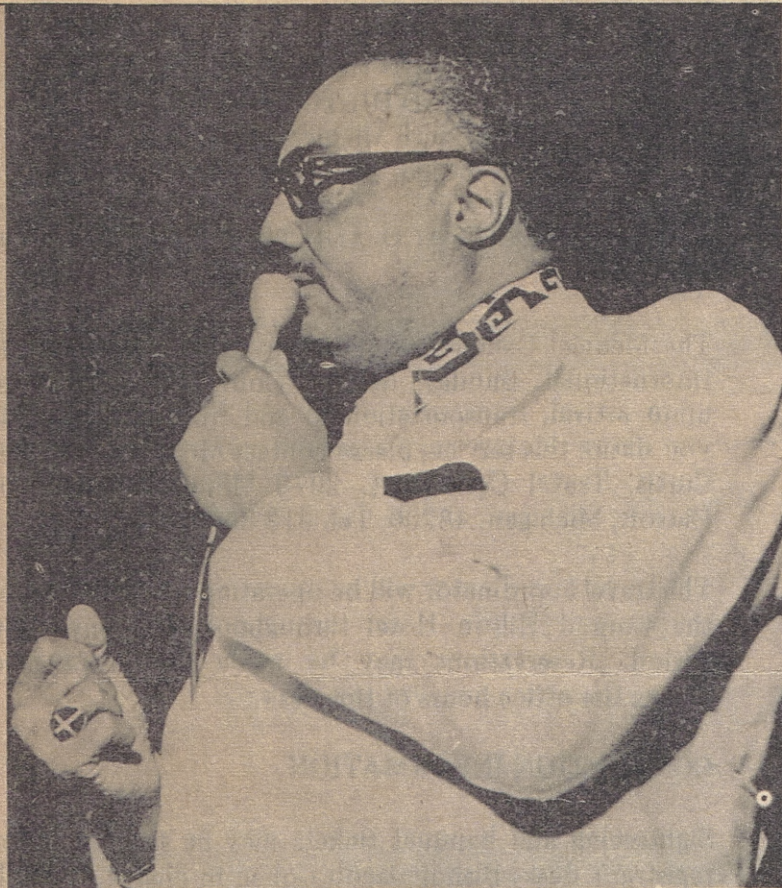


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BISHOP F. D. WASHINGTON

#### HIGHLIGHTS OF THE NEWARK IMPACT CRUSADE

Conducted by Bishop F. D. Washington and the CRUSADE TEAM

"Go ye, into all the world and preach the gospel."

We must evangelize this world, or perish with it. The time is now, tomorrow is too late. Soul-Winning and Soul-Saving for this generation MUST be done by this generation.

The Newark Impack Crusade was held on April 2, through the 7th, 1973 at Wells Cathedral, 672 High Street, Newark, New Jersey, Rev. Chandler D. Owens host Pastor.

Bishop F. D. Washington, Founder of the International Evangelistic Association conducted this mass crusade with the following supporting Pastors.

Rev. Norman Prescott, Montclair, New Jersey; Rev. Jasper Andrews, Newark, New Jersey; Rev. O. B. Lockett, Newark, New Jersey; Rev. Gordan Rogers, Morristown, New Jersey.

Assisting Bishop Washington also, was his charming wife, Madam E. B. Washington, National Evangelist and Radio Recording Artist of Brooklyn, New York, Mrs. Essie Deadwyler, outstanding young soloist of Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

The Crusade Choir thrilled our hearts nightly, using as their theme, the stirring selection "Saved by His Power Divine."

Rev. Ross Rainey of Wilmington, Delaware conducted the day sessions, and oh how our hearts were stirred as the man of God taught the people of God to be aware of satans program against them.

Sister Gwendolyn Redd of Brooklyn, New York, along with others conducted street crusades, souls were delivered and burdens were lifted, as the young and old put Evangelism into action, proclaiming that

Christ is the only real answer to this world's problems.

Each evenings service was opened with one hour of prayer and devotion, with mass healing nightly.

People by the hundreds were blessed, healed and delivered. Some of the inspiring testimonies were as follows:

MADAME E.B. WASHINGTON: Told how God miraculously healed her body when the doctors thought she might have cancer of the breast. She underwent the course of operation to determine whether there were malignant growth of tissue, but God had interceded already through prayer, and she came out like pure gold. Thanking and praising God, as never before. Thank God for a miracle.

MRS. MITTIE LEE BRYANT, Newark, N. J.: was brought to the Crusade on Thursday night by her two sons. They carried her down the aisle and sat her on the front seat. Bishop Washington spoke with her about her condition, immediately, the man of God, along with Elder Wiggins, other ministers and Crusaders began to pray. God touched Sister Bryant and she made a few steps by faith.

Friday night Sister Bryant returned to the meeting walking with one crutch, through prayer God touched her again and she began walking and praising God with assistance.

Saturday night, Sister Bryant walked into service by herself, without a crutch. She testified that she felt good; slept all night, got up that morning, dressed herself and even cooked breakfast for her family. Everybody in the sanctuary began thanking and praising God for the miracle we witnessed right before our eyes.

MRS. MILDRED SMITH, Newark, New Jersey: "I thank God for the Crusade. I had been living under fear for the last four (4) years. As so many people know, I had suffered six heart attacks in three years. The last one scarred the heart so bad

until the doctors feared my life. But God stayed the hand of death through the prayers of the saints. Although the devil had me believing if I clapped my hands or was too emotional in Church, I would suffer another attack which might have been fatal. But on Tuesday night of the meeting Bishop Washington said, "Everybody that wants God to do something for them come and kneel down before the altar in twenties. I was one of the first to kneel. Something went through my body which I know now was the electricity of God. I began clapping and praising God. All of my fears and apprehensions left me.

I was able to attend both services day and evenings, and on the last night I regretted as others that this Crusade had to close so soon.

MOTHER GERTRUDE WILLIAMS: Testified Thursday night in the Crusade how the Lord interceded and guided the surgeons as well as amplified their medical skills when her mother Mrs. Lueginia Blythe, 84 years of age was stricken with cancer and confined to the Regional Hospital, in Orangeburg, South Carolina. The remarkableness of this recovery was that in spite of Mrs. Blythe's age, which normally is against the patient who suffers from cancer, was that three weeks after surgery she was found completely healed. Her doctor told Mother Williams that her Mother, Mrs. Blythe, was completely healed. In one month's time the regional Board of Health had completely delivered her.

#### OTHERS HAD THE FOLLOWING TO SAY

NATIONAL EVANGELIST, MOTHER MAMIE TURNER, Rahway, New Jersey: "This is my honest opinion of the Crusade held in Newark, New Jersey. God has greatly blessed us through Bishop Washington and his gospel team. I attended the morning sessions and received much inspiration. The lessons and demonstrations by Elder Ross Rainey was informative and filled with the

wisdom of God. Those who are working in the vineyard of the Lord, need this spiritual rain and refreshing showers. Many others feel as I do. This Crusade has been a great blessing."

MRS. MARGARET WILSON, East Orange, New Jersey: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord. Psalms 12:21. When I saw the advertisement I said, "Lord, this is one meeting I don't want to miss. I want you to do a new thing in my life." God has done just that. I am so thankful. God gave me strength to be in this Crusade. I have a new determination to do more for God. My prayers daily is that God will keep Bishop and Mrs. Washington and the Crusade Staff strong that they may be able to continue to save souls for Christ.

MINISTER DAVID WARE: I do thank God and His Son Jesus Christ for this great Newark impact Crusade. It has truly been a great blessing and

inspiration to me. I would say that this Crusade is God's Master Plan for the Evangelizing of the world. I pray that God will bless this great and anointed man of God, Bishop F. D. Washington and his Staff. Let us unite in more prayer, fasting, and finance that God's will be done.

#### OTHERS ATTENDING THE CRUSADE WERE:

Bishop E. Courtney - State Bishop of 1st Jurisdiction of New Jersey; Bishop C. H. Cotton - Jersey City, New Jersey; Bishop H. Smith - State Bishop 2nd Jurisdiction, New Jersey; Bishop William Rogers - Bronx, New York; Elder Damon Wiggins - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. J. P. Lee - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. A. Brown - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. Jeff Banks - Newark, New Jersey; Rev. Jessie Adams - Newark, New Jersey; Rev. Grayson - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. C. Williams - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. R. White - New Haven, Connecticut; Rev. S. A. White - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. J. Bazemore - East Orange, New Jersey; Rev. N. Armstrong - Brooklyn, New York; Rev. G. Green - Elizabeth, New Jersey; Rev. King - Newark, New Jersey.

#### SUPPORTING CHOIRS WERE:

Zion Temple Young Adult Choir, Newark, N. J.; 1st Church Young People's Choir, Newark, New Jersey; 1st Church Choir, Morristown, New Jersey; Holy Temple Choir, Newark, New Jersey; Washington Temple Choir, Brooklyn, New York; Bethesda Church Choir, Newark, New Jersey; Templettes', Newark, New Jersey.

The week of Crusade was climaxed by a DRAMATIZED SERMON, "The Ressurrection of a Drug Addict" - Rev. Bob Deadwyler of Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, a transformed addict, and a member of Bishop Washington's Crusade Team depicted the dead addict reposing in a casket, while Rev. Ross Rainey of Wilmington, Delaware, also a member of the Crusade Team performed the eulogy. Just when all seemed hopeless and lost, the Drug Addict was resurrected by the power of the gospel.

It is Bishop Washington's contention that whatever destruction sin has wrought in the life of the individual, the Gospel has the Cure.

Of course the focal point of each nights service was the preaching of the gospel rendered dynamically by BISHOP F. D. WASHINGTON.

Reported by Mrs. Mildred Smith



MRS. E.E. HAMILTON

#### YOU CAN'T BEAT THIS

*The Sunshine Band is the place to be  
It's full of fun you see.  
It's a place for children to be.  
Are your children tired of sitting around?  
Put on your coats and come on down.*

*Jesus died for children too.  
Children don't run about  
When parents speak don't pout.  
Come to the Sunshine Band.  
Come on do it for fun.  
For refreshments we might have hot dogs on buns.*

*By William Anthony Heath  
Age 11 years old  
Foster Son of Missionary L. South*

*Evangelist Temple  
Elder M.A. Bailey, Pastor  
701 Broadway  
Buffalo, New York*

BISHOP E.E. HAMILTON  
State Bishop

*"And the city lieth foursquare  
and the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day: for there shall be no night there."*

"He sendeth sun, He sendeth shower alike they are needful for the flower: And joys and tears alike are sent to give, the soul fit nourishment: As comes to me, or cloud or sun, Father thy will, not mine be done."

The experience and observations of mankind early in life impresses upon man's mind the fact that death is the common lot of all mankind. Of all beautiful things in life, the most beautiful is character and he who possesses a beautiful character is worthy of notice.

Bishop Hamilton was among the pioneers of the Church of God in Christ. He labored in the state of Texas and during the influx to California, he felt the need to go and work in the establishment of God's work and promotion of the Church of God in Christ in Northern California. He labored untiring and did much in helping to establish the Church of God in Christ in these parts. His wife who joined him in death just a few days after his departure was a Missionary helping to spread the gospel and establish the work of the Women's Department of the Church.

They were hard workers. Steady grind and constant work wore down their bodies, their physical strength weakened and affliction fell upon them. Tired and weary they took their beds and waited on orders from their Lord and Master whom they had served. Their spirit filled souls took flight across death's stream where they now rest from their labor and their works do follow them.



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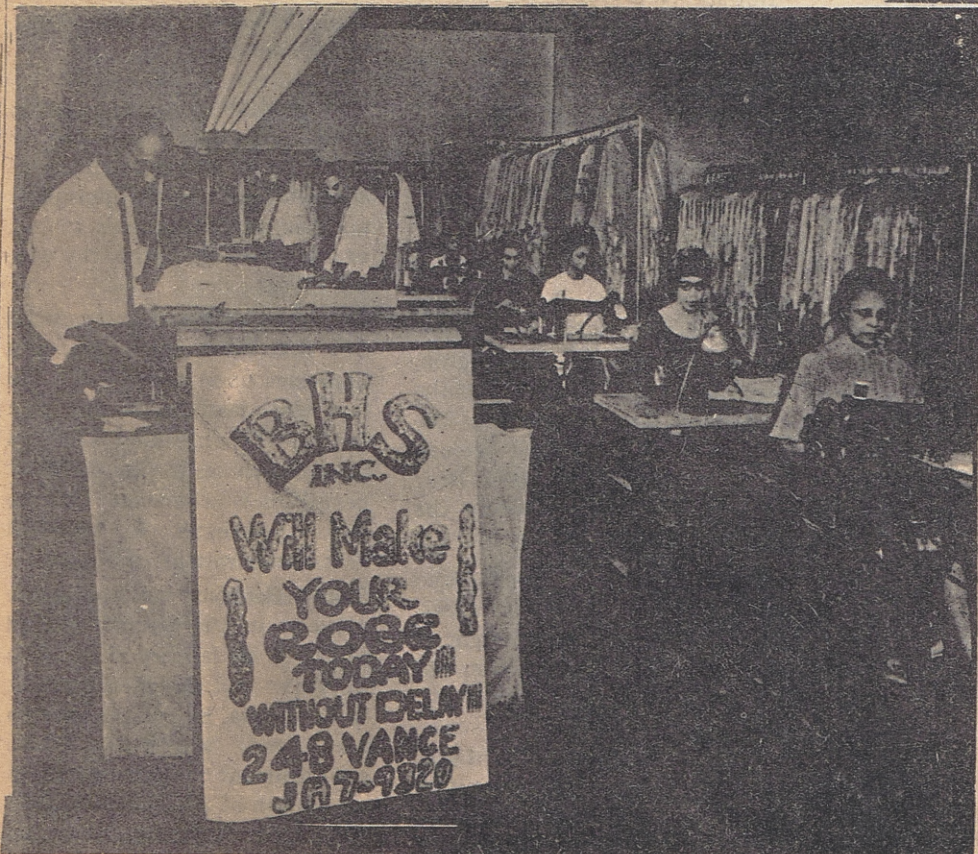
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